## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

Plaintiff,

20 Civ. 10832 (AT) (SN)

- against -

**ECF Case** 

RIPPLE LABS, INC., BRADLEY GARLINGHOUSE, : and CHRISTIAN A. LARSEN, :

Defendants.

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## **DECLARATION** OF JORGE G. TENREIRO

I, Jorge G. Tenreiro, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, declare as follows:

- 1. I am a member of the Bar of the State of New York.
- 2. I am employed as Senior Trial Counsel in the New York Regional Office of Plaintiff
  Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). I submit this declaration in support of the
  SEC's Memorandum of Law in Opposition to Defendants Christian A. Larsen's and Bradley
  Garlinghouse's Motions to Dismiss.
- 3. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of the Order Instituting

  Cease-and-Desist Proceedings Pursuant to Section 8A of the Securities Act of 1933, Making

  Findings, and Imposing a Cease-and-Desist Order in In the Matter of Prosper Marketplace, Inc., Release

  No. 33-8984 (Nov. 24, 2008), publicly available at <a href="https://www.sec.gov/litigation/admin/2008/33-8984.pdf">https://www.sec.gov/litigation/admin/2008/33-8984.pdf</a>.
- 4. Attached hereto as **Exhibit B** is a true and correct copy of a February 8, 2012 legal memorandum.
- 5. Attached hereto as Exhibit C is a true and correct copy of an October 19, 2012 legal memorandum.

- 6. Attached hereto as **Exhibit D** is a true and correct copy of guidance issued on March 18, 2013 entitled *Application of FinCEN's Regulations to Persons Administering, Exchanging, or Using Virtual Currencies*, publically available at <a href="https://www.fincen.gov/resources/statutes-regulations/guidance/application-fincens-regulations-persons-administering">https://www.fincen.gov/resources/statutes-regulations/guidance/application-fincens-regulations-persons-administering</a>.
- 7. Attached hereto as **Exhibit E** is a true and correct copy of an email chain dated May 26, 2014, Bates numbered RPLI\_SEC 0057498.
- 8. Attached hereto as **Exhibit F** is a true and correct copy of an email chain dated February 6, 2017 to June 30, 2019, Bates numbered RPLI\_SEC 0234183-87.
- 9. Attached hereto as Exhibit G is a true and correct copy of an email dated June 4, 2017, and attachments, Bates numbered RPLI\_SEC 0026793–95.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on May 14, 2021 New York, New York

Jorge G. Tenreiro